

December 2, 2016

Mr. Shawn M. Garvin
Regional Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III
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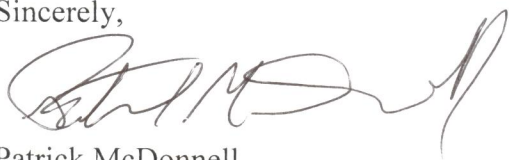
Dear Mr. Garvin:

On May 5, 2015, the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) submitted a Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) State Implementation Plan (SIP) revision request for ArcelorMittal Monessen LLC Coke Plant (formerly owned by Koppers Industries, Inc.), RACT Operating Permit (No. 65-000-853), for the 1-hour ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS).

DEP requests withdrawal of the SIP revision request from consideration by EPA at this time because ArcelorMittal submitted a RACT proposal on October 24, 2016, for compliance with the NAAQS established in 1979 (1-hour), 1997 (8-hour) and 2008 (8-hour). DEP will submit a complete RACT SIP revision at a later date.

If you have any additional questions or concerns regarding these SIP revisions, please contact Krishnan Ramamurthy, Acting Director of the Bureau of Air Quality, by e-mail at kramamurth@pa.gov or by telephone at 717.787.9702

Sincerely,



Patrick McDonnell
Acting Secretary

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